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Re: Letter (07-AMCP-0062), dated December 20, 2006, from Mr. Keith A. Klein, United States Department of Energy (USDOE), to Ms. Jane A. Hedges, Washington State Department of Ecology, Nuclear Waste Program, *Closure Certification for the 241-Z Treatment and Storage Tanks*

Dear Mr. Klein:

The Department of Ecology completed its review of the 241-Z Treatment and Storage Tanks closure certifications. On November 6, 2006, Ecology made a physical walk down of the facility to verify the completion of closure. We determined that the closure activities were performed in accordance with the approved closure plan, Hanford Facility Dangerous Waste Closure Plan, 241-Z Treatment and Storage Tanks, DOE/RL-96-82, Revision 1.

The closure certifications were prepared in accordance with Washington Administrative Code Chapter 173-303-610 and the Closure Plan. Based on the information provided in the closure certification letter, and the results of our visual verification, Ecology hereby accepts the certificates of clean closure for the 241-Z Treatment and Storage Tanks.

In order to complete closure of this Resource Conservation and Recovery Act treatment, storage, and/or disposal unit, we request that USDOE submit the Part A, Form 3 for this unit stamped "Closed" with the current date.

If you have any questions, contact me at 509-372-7885 or Mr. Jeff Ayres at 509-732-7881.

Sincerely,

Rick Bond  
Transition Project Manager  
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